

Raymond Recorder



Board Of Trade Asks For Surfaced Road

Raymond Schools Do
Well in Lethbridge

Despite keener competition this year than ever before, Raymond's school entries won more prizes, and with better marks than any other Festival, they have taken part in. It is a source of great satisfaction to the contestants as well as to the teachers that such a good showing was made. Following are the winners:

HIGH SCHOOL ELOCUTION
Mildred Boyson, first.
Franklin Smith, first.

PUBLIC SCHOOL ELOCUTION
Grade V—Richard Peterson, first.
Grade VII—Lorraine Heninger, second.
Grade VIII—Melba King, second.

MUSIC

Public School Chorus, Directed by Miss Velma Nalder and Milo C. Vance, second.
Solo, Grade III.—Stephen Wood, second.
Solo, Grade II.—Myra Dahl, third.

Solo, Grade VI.—Teddy Allen placed third in the Finals.

DRAMATICS

Grade IV, under the direction of Miss Ruth Kimball, lost by one point only, taking second place to Cardston.

Principal J. O. Hicken wishes to thank most heartily those who donated their time and cars to transport the contestants to Lethbridge and home, and thus make the above splendid showing possible.

NEWS NOTES

The local oil dealers are going almost night and day while the spring cropping rush is on. Thousands of gallons of oil are being burned up every day on the land.

And now the weird stories of quirk golf shots, and the monstrous fishes that are caught will be dished up libitum by the enthusiasts of these sports.

Robert J. Cronie, editor of the Vancouver Sun, and well known publisher, died suddenly from a heart attack in a Victoria hotel Monday night.

Conrad, nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ellick of Vauxhall, was drowned Saturday afternoon when he fell from a raft on which he and a younger sister were playing.

Ethiopia, captured by Italian armies, was declared an empire Sunday by Benito Mussolini, and the King was named as Emperor. Action of the League of Nations with respect to this move, will be watched with interest.

Mrs. Dr. B. A. Watson, now living at Banff, Alberta, spent the past week in Raymond visiting with her children. She and Dave are hoping to get back into the southern part of the province before very long.

England, in an effort to stabilize the coal mining industry is planning to pension off her miners at 55 and raising the age limit for workers from 15 to 16. She also advocates better organization amongst operator companies.

Re Grazing Lease Ad.

In the Grazing Lease ad, inserted in our last issue, the description read Range 1, and it should have been Range 19. Will those locally interested in the lease privileges please re-read the ad, inserted in this issue. Despite this error, there is still time for application for lease to be made, if it is done immediately. The ad, appears on the back page of this issue.

Wedding Bells

SELMAN — LARSON

Lee Selman, youngest son of Mrs. Charles Selman of Raymond, and Miss Helen, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Larson of Barons, were married in Lethbridge last Saturday afternoon, Bishop B. C. Poulsen performing the ceremony.

The happy couple will make their home in Picture Butte where the groom is engaged in business, and they have the best wishes of a host of friends for success and happiness.

When it is all said and done newspaper advertising reaches the people more effectively than any other sort of publicity. Big business all over the world is finding this out too.

L. L. Pack and son Mirza, left Thursday morning for Edmonton for graduation exercises at the University of Alberta, where Mirza is receiving his degree. We understand that Mirza has a position waiting for him as soon as he graduates. We congratulate him on his success.

All governments, civic, provincial and Dominion seem to have the same experience. While people squawk their heads off about taxes, delegations are constantly asking the government for more and bigger appropriations for roads, buildings and what have you.

Women's Institute

The W. I. met at the home of Mrs. J. Fisher May 14th. There were 25 ladies present. Mrs. Gussek the Constituency Convenor and also Mrs. F. Ingram, Mrs. H. Dickson and Mrs. J. Coghill all of Warner were special guests.

Meeting opened by singing "O Canada". The club Women's Creed was repeated, roll call was answered with "Don'ts for the sick room," the Theme song and community singing was led by Mrs. Tollestrup.

A paper on "International Relationship" was given by Mrs. A. W. Kirkham Mrs. Earl Scoville sang a solo "Trees" Mrs. Holmes read lesson V. of the Home Nursing Course.

Mrs. Burke gave a very interesting talk on "Our Flag," after which Mrs. C. Nilsson recited "Ah Honor to the Union Jack and I want to live by the Side of the Road."

Meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. While lunch was being served little Monty Scoville sang for the ladies.

The door prize donated by Mrs. C. Rolfson was won by Mrs. G. Holmes.

Next meeting will be held at Mrs. C. Nilson's on June 11th.

The regular Board of Trade meeting was held in the Town Hall Monday evening last with the President Lee Brewerton in the Chair, and 16 members present.

The erection of the Billboards was discussed and a motion passed that permission for erection of these be obtained and the work proceeded with at once.

A motion was also passed that a Committee be appointed to draft a resolution asking for a surfaced road from Coult's to Lethbridge through Raymond. The continuous and heavy traffic between Raymond and Lethbridge justified this road, and the Committee was asked to take immediate action on this matter. They also asked that the road between here and Cardston be repaired at once, as it was in bad condition and dangerous. The Municipal Council will be contacted with respect to this matter.

In view of the departure of C. D. Compton and family, a Committee of the Presidents of the Board of Trade, Vets and Rotary was appointed to arrange the details of a banquet in his honor. Mr. Compton has been an able and willing worker in all the organizations of the Town, and merits this recognition.

The Stampede was discussed, and a motion carried that the Board of Trade favor a one day Stampede on July 1st, but that the decision be left with the Committee in charge of the day.

It was also moved that the Stampede Committee of 1935 be asked as an executive for this year's show.

High Grade Salt
in Northern Alberta

HON. C. C. ROSS SAYS FORT McMURRAY STRIKE IS MOST VALUABLE

Edmonton, May 15.—Drillers in the McMurray district have struck a core of high grade salt in "the most important strike in the province since Royalt's No. 4 was brought in at Turner Valley," Hon. C. C. Ross, minister of lands and mines, announced today.

Operations have been carried on for the past two months by

Town Council Meeting Held

The Town Council met in regular session Thursday night with the Mayor, Solicitor and all councilmen present except D. A. Bennett. The minutes of the last meeting as well as the cash report were accepted after presentation.

The C. P. R. had a representative present asking for readjustment on the tax levied on their Raymond property. The Council heard his case and promised consideration. Cmas. Hiddle appeared asking for a tender with by their property and also a water ditch for irrigation water. The Council explained its attitude and procedure in building ditches and promised that the "ditch" would be looked into.

Volney Phillips appeared as spokesman for Town employees asking for increase in the rate of pay. In as much as the ditch was all cleaned and the Town was about through hiring for this spring, they decided to table the matter for future consideration if and when this becomes essential. A lengthy discussion was had on this matter. A letter was read from the Relief Department at Edmonton, asking the Council to check closely on beet workers, skilled and otherwise, and those that any of them who refused work be cut off permanently from relief rolls.

The Sugar Co. made offer of travelling the road from the end of Broadway to the Factory. The Council voted to go into this matter and see if this piece of road could be constructed.

The Swimming Pool came up for discussion, & as there were several matters of importance to decide on, it was decided to hold a special meeting next Thursday night with the Swimming Pool Committee to go into the details of the situation.

Howard Perks was given the

to numbers by the School

Chorus, conducted by Miss

Velma Nalder.

Talk "Mother's Day" by H.

Dean Rolfson.

Vocal Solo—Teddy Allen.

Vocal Solo—Wm. Mitchell.

Reading—"That Old Sweetheart of Mine"—Lee Brewerton.

Vocal Solo—Stephen Wood.

Vocal Solo—Lily Anderson.

One minute silence in tribute to Mother.

Nearly all of the musical numbers were Festival numbers which were given at the Lethbridge Festival this week. Miss Iris Jones had arranged the program.

Necia King Married
in Salt Lake TempleMay Build New
Dust Free Highway

ROAD WOULD RUN FROM BANFF TO INTERNATIONAL BORDER, CRERAR TELLS COMMONS

SAYS TOURISTS TURN BACK

Ottawa, May 15.—Construction of dust-free roads from the United States boundary to the Banff National Park is being considered, Interior Minister T. A. Crerar told the House of Commons Wednesday.

The Dominion has spent \$10,000,000 on the park and last year only 4,800 American cars visited it. The minister said many Americans turned back after a few miles of the dusty ravel roads.—The Albertan.

NEWS NOTES

RENEW YOUR RECORDER

Gordon Brewerton, Cardston was a Raymond visitor Friday.

Alec Harper of the Remington Typewriter Agency, Lethbridge, was a Raymond visitor Thursday this week.

The tail end of the thunder shower which we received Thursday night was just enough to dampen the ground. It will, however, help some.

Some labor trouble is developing amongst beet growers and labor. Labor has become very adamant and some means of carrying for the beets may have to be found without the piers of the labor market.

Garage men have had a quiet time the past couple of weeks while seedling has been going on. They will, however, have their innings shortly now, provided the crop prospects are good.

Job of caring for the Town Hall grounds, the same to apply on Taxes. A couple of offers were received for Town property and held over until the next meeting.

The payroll was passed and ordered paid, and the reports of Constable and Engineer read and accepted. Meeting adjourned at 11 p.m.

Gardens are coming along nicely but need rain. Crops are being seeded very rapidly and going into a good seed bed. A good soaking rain would be greatly appreciated now, although nothing is suffering.

Due to threats of violence on the part of some of the beet workers and leaders over the labor situation, a number of police were here from Lethbridge to be on hand if any trouble commenced.

D. L. Galbraith returned home Wednesday night from Calgary with a new Ford V8 purchased through King Motors. Dave had to wait in Calgary several days for his car to arrive, and while there had a nice visit with relatives and friends.

The marriage of Miss Necia King, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. King of Raymond Alberta, Canada, to Wesley F. Mullett of Provo, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mullett of Salt Lake City, took place Friday morning in the Salt Lake temple.

Apostle Stephen L. Richards officiated, the young couple being accompanied through the temple by the bride's mother, who made a happy surprise visit to the pair at the temple. The bride has been making her home in Provo for some time past, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Over Hill.

Later, a wedding dinner was held at the Mullett residence in Salt Lake City, covers being laid for 25 guests. Beautiful yellow tulips and bridal wreath were employed in decorating the table. In attendance from Provo were Mrs. Owen Hill, Almo Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullett and Marl Nielsen.

The bride wore a lovely gown of white net over taffeta, and a dainty corsage of sweet peas. The young couple will reside in Provo.—Provo Sunda, Herald.

Ed Note: We also received a nice letter from Mrs. King, who is greatly enjoying her holiday in Utah.

NEWS NOTES

The huge Zeppelin Hindenburg, left Lakehurst, N.J., at midnight Monday on her return to Germany with a passenger list of 12.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hicken on Sunday last, a 7½ lb. baby boy. Mother and son are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie and Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Leech are leaving the end of the week for the Rotary Convention in Saskatoon, which is being held Monday and Tuesday next week.

The school kids had a holiday on Tuesday, when the Musical Festival was held in Lethbridge. Nearly every room in the Public School was represented in the events, and according to reports there are a number of very good numbers.

Meeks Brothers are busy now cropping. Lambing is just starting good, with good returns. The calf crop is promising, and they are seeding quite a grain crop. They are going night and day. Grass is reported as exceptionally good.

With the appointment of Lucien Maynard to the Provincial Cabinet as Minister without portfolio in Alberta, it will be his job to devise ways and means of putting the Social Credit principles to work. We understand he is now studying the real situation in the province and what sort of negotiations can be had in this program.

With the arrest of Thomas H. Robinson, Jr., in Glendale, Cal., on Monday, G Men of the United States completed a roundup of four or five of the country's worst bandits. The list included Mahan, Alvin Karpis, Robinson and others, who have been subjects of nationwide searches during the past couple of years.

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HELPING NATURE SET THE PACE

Nature does a lot for folks in the spring. New life starting up on all sides is an invigorating sight, stimulating us to tackle our problems with renewed vigor.

No wonder woman clean house in spring and men make new plans. However nature helps us of her own accord she also does more with our cooperation.

This has been increasingly true from the time when the first dwellers along the Nile learned that they could get greater crops by sowing and planting seeds than by merely garnering self-sown crops from seeds the mighty river brought down each spring.

Nature is waiting for us to help her set the pace in Raymond. How often have you wished as you walked along your home street that everyone might afford a painting job this spring.

Some of your neighbors may not feel that they can afford to paint the place this spring. But you might be surprised to see how many would follow suit if you began by beautifying your lawn with special flower beds and borders.

Beautification of lawns alone can lift spirits; and people who feel good will want to do good things.

Theodore M. Millington, writing in the Birmingham (Mich.) Eccentric for April ninth, said: "I once observed a box-garden on a N. Y. tenement house fire-escape. Instinctively I felt that its owners were not under-world members."

In the same article he also made this clever comment:

"There are many things a garden does not like and which causes it to restrict its yield. It is in many respects like a bride. It does not like to be left alone. It does not like strained relations. It does not like casual treatment, nor rough handling. But like a bride it wants constant company, serious attention, loving treatment and gentle handling. It most dislikes a summer vacation to some distant points. But unlike a bride, it never talks back."

SENTENCE STIMULANTS

Start the day playing your glad game and you'll soon discover that you are "game" for almost anything worthwhile.

Some of the unpleasant things you have worried about may happen, but they probably will not, be nearly so bad as expected by you.

Ice is most effective when it starts to melt. So is a frigid personality.

If truth is on your side you need fear no one and no thing. If not, you and your cause better start cleaning house.

You can do something a little better than anyone else. That's one reason you're in the world.

The business man with initiative, usually lives to hear the count of ten on his inactive competitor.

As I figure it out, ability plus humility plus patience plus perseverance adds up to SUCCESS.

A man with ability minus character can sure raise the devil. A man with ability plus character and courage should be able to get a raise even from a devil of an employer.

You can't push a sprouting oak back in the acorn without ruining it. Neither can you force back youth's ambitions without injury.

Some people are like the baobab tree which though skinned, keeps on growing.

Flood sufferers learned that murky water would clear if just allowed to set. Cease nagging our troubles and watch them clear up.

HEALTH

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PROTECT THE BABY

No one knows just how much syphilis there is in this country. There is no need to indulge in exaggerated statements to emphasize the gravity of this problem because, unfortunately, syphilis is a fairly common disease.

It is not so many years since a discussion of syphilis implied a consideration of morals. We have progressed to the point where we can consider syphilis as a communicable disease problem. We can do this because it is so obvious that, at least, all of the children and most of the women who are syphilitic acquire their infection in a perfectly innocent manner.

Syphilis is one of the few diseases which the mother can transmit to her unborn child. Under such circumstances, abortion may occur; the baby may be born dead or may die shortly after birth, or he may survive with syphilis.

Syphilis can be cured if the treatment is begun early in the disease and continued. It is not cured in weeks or months; it requires continued medical supervision with treatment, at intervals, over a period of several years. For adults it is important to remember that the disease is curable at all ages.

Not everyone who has syphilis is aware of the fact. In some persons, usually women, it may have been so mild as to escape attention. It is serious in all cases because, as a chronic infection, it attacks man of the important organs and tissues of the body so undermining their strength as to result in definite disabilities.

The unborn child can be protected against syphilis provided the mother comes under care early in her pregnancy and receives the necessary treatment. This is one of the greatest and most satisfying advances made in modern medicine, the protection of the baby against disease before birth.

If every woman would report to her physician as soon as pregnancy is suspected, it would be possible to discover syphilis when it exists and, by proper treatment, protect the child and, at the same time, benefit the woman herself.

This article is not written in an alarmist tone, but on the other hand, there is nothing to be gained by hiding the facts of the situation. We have, in the venereal diseases, our greatest communicable disease problem, and, as yet but little is being done about it. We can, at least without delay, set about protecting the babies against syphilis.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College St., Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

"Tis the set of the sail in the blowing gale" that decides which way you go—but if you don't know where you want to go, what's the use in worrying about the sails or wind.

You may not be tongue-tied but if you can't occasionally say something kind or cheerful—you're dumb.

First Ward Auxiliaries Re-organized

Following the changes made at the recent Quarterly Conference, the Raymond First Ward had quite a business session Sunday evening last, when the following officers were sustained to serve in the auxiliary organizations which the Conference appointments had disorganized.

Sunday School—H. Dean Rolf, son, Superintendent; assisted by Frehlin Dahl and J. Ervin Meldrum.

Y.M.C.A.—Ira R. McBride, Superintendent; with Lee Brewerton and A. H. Zabriskie as assistants and Jos. Woolley as Secretary.

Y.W.M.C.A.—Mrs. F. R. Taylor, President; Mrs. S. B. Card 1st Assistant, Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie, Secretary. The second assistant is yet to be chosen.

Speakers were the three members of the retiring bishopric, Heber F. Allen, C. E. Allred and Paul H. Redd, who thanked the people for their support, expressed their joy at the opportunity to serve, and urged the people to support the new officers as they had been supported. Bishop Allen read a few statistics which showed constant growth of the ward.

Bishop Hicken, and his counselors Chas. R. Wing and J. Golden Snow also spoke, and exhibited a splendid spirit of humility, and a real desire for service. They asked the people of their ward to feel free in making suggestions and in helping them solve the problems of the Ward.

Vocal solos were rendered by Mesdames D. A. Watson, T. T. Mendenhall and Thos. Allan. The choir, conducted by W. W. McMullin rendered very nice numbers.

Mrs. Chas. McCarthy is home again from Utah for the summer months. She looks well and is glad to be back again in Raymond.

With the Provincial Sales Tax, and the added 2% Dominion Tax and Excise, cars went up about \$50 in the past two weeks. Only the rich can afford to deal in them now.

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NEWS NOTES

Mr. Moore of the Heintzman and Co., staff, Calgary, was a Raymond business visitor Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Hardware merchants met in Edmonton Monday night regarding the Sales Tax and its application to their business, as they were confused by it, especially since building materials have been made free, they don't know just what to collect on.

Mrs. J. W. Evans was hostess to a few friends and neighbors Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. D. A. Watson who is visiting here. An hour or two after the sacrament meeting was most enjoyably spent by the former neighbors.

At the Parent-Teachers meeting held last Thursday afternoon the lecture was given by Mrs. O. H. Snow on the topic "Beautification of the Home, and Its Relation to the Child." Musical numbers and elections by Festival contestants constituted the remainder of the program.

RIDING THE RODS NOT PROFITABLE

In a recent conference of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National Railway officials, they inform the press that the casualties in connection with trespassers on the freight trains of the two lines for the year 1935 was as follows: On the Canadian Pacific there was 55 killed and 115 injured; on the Canadian National there was 79 killed and 125 injured, making a total of 134 killed and 240 injured.

To stop this unlawful practice of riding on freight trains has been a big problem with the two railroads for the reason that they allowed the practice to continue where it should not have been allowed according to the railway act. Now that the casualties are on the increase the railroad heads have issued orders to all police departments throughout the country to act immediately to enforce the Railway Act.

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WEEKLY LETTER

FIELD BEANS

Farmers who are interested in growing field beans are no doubt planning now to seed them if they have not already done so.

Extensive tests have been conducted with field beans at the Lethbridge Experimental Station for at least twelve years. Many different varieties have been included in the test plots each season, and experiments have also been conducted to determine the best date, rate and method of seeding, and the effect of commercial fertilizer. Other problems encountered in the growing of this crop have been dealt with as well and from our experience obtained over a period of years we consider that beans are a crop worth of more consideration than they have been given in the past.

The shortness of our growing season must always be kept in mind as probably the greatest disadvantage to be contended with. We must, therefore, make every effort possible, to have our bean crops harvested about the first of Sept. The weather records at the Station show that over a period of about 20 years the average date of the first fall frosts has been Sept. 10th and of the first killing frost, which is four degrees or more, September 20th.

For several years past we have seeded beans at intervals of ten days apart commencing as early as possible in the spring and extending till June 20th. Results

obtained from this experiment indicate that nothing is gained by seeding beans earlier than May 10th as plots seeded on that date and all plots seeded previous to it have ripened at the same time and given approximately the same yields.

Plots seeded on May 20th have also ripened practically as early as those seeded on May 10th, and for the last two seasons those seeded on June 1st have also ripened successfully before killing frosts arrived. Every effort, however should be made to have the seeding of beans completed by May 20th.

The choice of variety is a most important factor in bean growing. It is important to choose a variety of a type which meets the market requirements and which is early enough to be depended upon. Of the numerous varieties tested at the Station the Burbank variety, which is a small white one is the best one which has proved most satisfactory. This variety should be seeded about 60 lbs per acre when the rows are spaced 22 inches apart.

We find that beans can be grown much more economically now than they were grown a few years ago. Sugar beet drills and cultivators work excellently for drilling and cultivating beans, and last summer by procuring special bean pulling knives from a machine company in town, & attaching them to a two row corn-planter, we found that the problem of pulling beans was no longer a thing to be dreaded. One man and team should be able to pull

seven acres of beans without difficulty with a machine of this kind. By making a few adjustments and adding a few special pulleys ordinary threshing machines can be used to thresh beans.

As time goes along we are likely to see more interest being shown in beans in this district, particularly as a specialized crop for irrigated land.

A DAY'S THRILLS

How many times have you, a motorist, thought over your experiences in a single day's driving.

Some single incident may stand out in your mind, but if these were grouped, the impression might be rather startling.

All of which draws attention to the percentage of highway hazards and the need of campaigns for safe driving to cut the death toll, reduce injuries to persons and damage to property.

At a recent safety conference one of the speakers told the following story of a single day's experiences while motoring.

"I was on my way home from a neighboring town the other day when I saw a rather ancient car in the distance coming toward me. All at once it turned over in the ditch," he said.

"I rushed over and three little children, a boy and two little girls, were crawling from under the car. None was hurt. In the car also, was an old lady about 80, and she was not hurt but there were two other women who were bleeding profusely from minor cuts. I imagine they were riding in the front seat and were thrown against the windshield.

"That experience slowed me down to about 10 miles an hour when I resumed my journey home.

"A little farther on a cream colored car whizzed by at a high rate of speed. As I watched it speed ahead it seemed all at once to become a great black funnel of smoke. I saw the man run out toward the edge of the road. I was scared and I approached the car cautiously, to see where the fire might have originated. It was pretty nearly burned up before the fire was extinguished.

"Well, that experience slowed me up another 5 or 10 mi. an hour. It was getting dusk when I saw a car approaching. It looked as if it were going about a 100 miles an hour. Just as it got within 100 yards of me, one of the front tires blew out, and I saw the rubber fly. Apparently the driver had strength enough to hold the car. If he had not, it might have killed both of us. Well, by this time, I had slowed down so much that I was barely moving.

I approached a bridge and saw another car nearing me. It was coming at a high rate of speed, and as I got nearer the bridge I stopped to let him get across. Just as he reached the bridge a cow crossed the road. The car hit the cow, turned over four times and landed on its wheels. And believe it or not, he didn't even stop, but whizzed past me, doing 75."

All this happened in one day. And these things are going to happen until we get the speed demon out of man—Voice of Mordorm.

NEWS NOTES

A special Temple Day is being held Monday, May 25th. Plan now to attend.

W. L. Carmichael of Lethbridge, nurseryman, was a Raymond visitor Monday.

A beautiful shower Monday morning refreshed things nicely. Not heavy enough to soak down much, but it certainly was refreshing.

George Bell, 23, Calgary young man, was killed there early Sunday morning when his motorcycle collided with the rear fender of a car. The car driver is being held on a charge of manslaughter.

Added to the list of exemptions from the 2% Sales Tax is building materials when used for housing factories and industries in the Province. Premier Aberhart hopes this will stimulate this branch of business.

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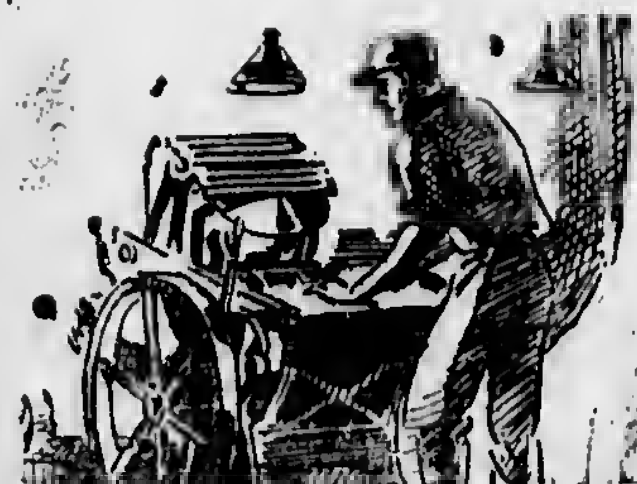
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First Bank of Montreal Crop Report

General—Field operations over the major part of the Dominion, except the Maritime Provinces and the Peace River country, have been retarded from one to two weeks owing to the inclement weather which followed the breakup of winter. There is a good reserve of moisture in most districts and preparation of land and seeding are now under way. In the Prairie Provinces seeding is progressing favourably. While in the area affected by rust and frost a substantial proportion of inferior seed is being sown, the good seed bed conditions at present enhance the possibilities for normal growth. In Quebec the seed generally is in good condition, and pastures, meadows and fruit trees show no sign of winterkill. In Ontario land preparation is general and seeding has commenced. Fall wheat wintered well and has since progressed in the absence of frost or damaging winds. In the Maritime Provinces pastures and meadows, including areas flooded this spring, are generally in good condition. In British Columbia farming operations are being two weeks late but the seed is in good condition and fall

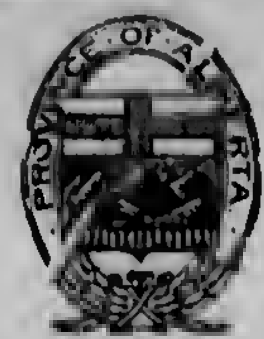
wheat and hay crops wintered well. Details follow:

PRAIRIE PROVINCES
 Alberta—Wheat seeding is now fairly general. The seed early germination if warm weather continues. Moisture conditions are satisfactory, but there is little subsoil reserve in the southeastern area. In the Peace River District operations commenced two weeks earlier than last year. Beet seeding is well advanced. Saskatchewan—Seeding operations have commenced and are becoming general in all sections of the Province. Early moisture conditions are favourable and with the exception of a few scattered districts subsoil reserves have shown improvement. Indications are that the wheat acreage will be smaller than that of last year. Manitoba—Wheat seeding is general in the southern and central areas and a start has been made in northern districts. The seed bed generally is in good condition with sufficient moisture for present requirements. A slightly reduced wheat acreage is expected.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
 Cold weather has retarded work on the land throughout the Province. Adverse weather conditions also affected the run of maple syrup and the crop on the whole is reported below average in quality and quantity. Livestock wintered well. In the lower St. Lawrence and Lake St. John districts frost is slow in leaving the ground and to date very little field work has been done. Pastures and meadows show a healthy growth. In the Ottawa Valley and Eastern Townships spring ploughing is proceeding but low areas are still too wet to cultivate. The soil is in good condition. Seeding of tobacco in hot beds has commenced.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
 Old meadows and new clover seeding are in healthy condition, with no winter killing in evidence. Fruit trees wintered satisfactorily, and budding has commenced. Tobacco and other plants under glass are in need of sunlight and warmer weather for growth stimulation. Owing to bountiful supplies of food last season, livestock are being turned out in excellent condition. Ample moisture for spring growth is assured.

MARITIME PROVINCES
 No winter killing of fruit trees is reported. Winter broke



Applications for Stock Grazing

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given by the Department of Lands and Mines to the effect that the grazing of stock is to be authorized between the 15th of May and the 31st of October, 1936, inclusive, in that portion of the Government Grazing Reserve, Township 1, Range 19, West of the 4th Meridian, on a basis of 35¢ per head per month, payable in advance.

Applications must be made to the Agent of Provincial Lands, Lethbridge, on or before the 10th of May, 1936, so that an allotment may be made in keeping with the grazing capacity of the reserve. Any applications received after the 10th of May, 1936, will be only considered if the necessary accommodation within the reserve is still available.

D. H. BOLES,
 Director of Lands,
 Department of Lands and Mines,
 EDMONTON,
 April 25th, 1936.

up early and work on the land is ahead of the average year. Seeding is not expected to be general for ten days or two weeks. The soil is in good condition and there is a reserve of moisture.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Sowing of spring grains is progressing satisfactorily. The onion crop in the Kamloops district has been planted. Transplanting of tomato plants is nearing completion. Early potatoes are growing well and planting of late varieties is 70% completed. Heavy October frosts and severe winter weather did some damage to orchards in the Okanagan and Kootenay Valleys. Apricot and peach trees suffered most and will yield light crops. The bloom on other fruit trees is normal. Raspberry and loganberry canes suffered severely; strawberry plants survived the winter in fair condition. The heavy snowfall of last winter should provide ample water for irrigation purposes. Pastureage is improving rapidly.

The Literary Club held its monthly meeting this month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Leech, with Miss Emma Walcott as hostess. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

In compliment to Mrs. C. D. Compton, prior to her departure for Montreal, the Ladies' organizations of which she has been a member during her stay here have held a number of social events.

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NEWS NOTES

Pres. T. Geo. Wood was a speaker in Magrath 2nd Ward Sunday evening last.

Viscount Alenby, Conqueror of Palestine and hero of Jerusalem in the Great War, died at his home in London England, Thursday. He was 75 years old and died from a heart attack.

President L. L. Pack of the local Rotary Outpost will attend the District Rotary Convention in Saskatoon Monday and Tuesday, joining with A. H. Zabriske and Dr. Leech in representing the local Club.

Don't forget the Temple Excursion on Victoria Day, May 25. Stake Genealogical officials would like to see a good attendance from here that day.

The Procter sisters of Stirling and Karl Williams of Wellington, in a Trio and the Tractor Solo classes respectively placed first in their class at the Festival held this week in Lethbridge. Congratulations for.

Geo. A. Green of Lethbridge is installing machinery new to make a prepared breakfast foods of several kinds in Lethbridge. A believer in building up local industries, Mr. Green, a former resident of Raymond, and still largely interested here, believes there is a good field for this product in Southern Alberta.

Miss Margaret Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Roberts was stricken suddenly with appendicitis in Lethbridge Wednesday evening and was operated on Thursday. She is progressing nicely now, but will be away from her dance studio for two weeks or so. Students please take notice.

WANT ADS.

FOR SALE—Oats & Barley, both good for Seed. — See Jas. Hawkins. 2m29.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cooper moved to Picture Butte recently where Maurice has employment. Miller Woolford, mechanic at the Porter's Garage is living in the Thompson home which Mr. and Mrs. Cooper vacated.

The Male Quartette composed of F. R. Taylor, B. J. Coombs, Ira McBride and Paul H. Redd won first place for Male Quartettes in the Lethbridge Musical Festival Wednesday evening. We congratulate these musicians on their splendid achievement.

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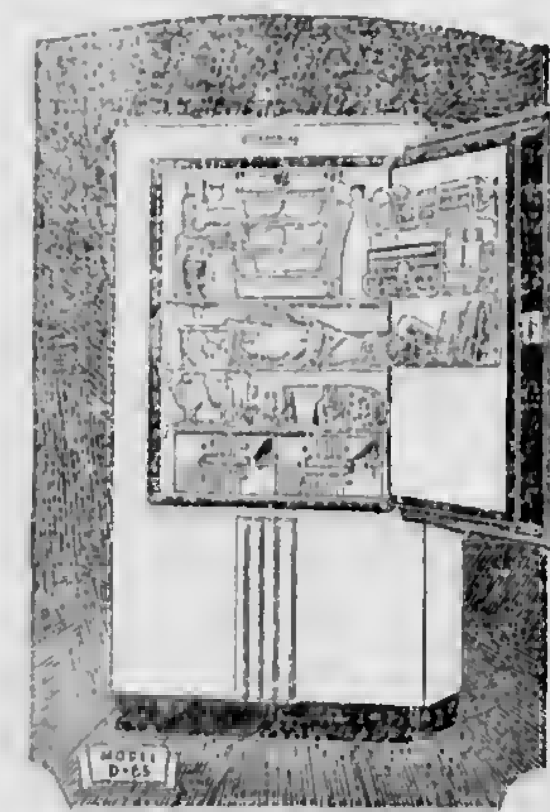
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